



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q62086

Akira YAMAGUCHI

Appln. No.: 09/782,199

Group Art Unit: 2871

Confirmation No.: 9852

Examiner: Hoan C. NGUYEN

Filed: February 14, 2001

For: **LIGHT DIFFUSING PLATE, LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY APPARATUS AND REAR PROJECTION APPARATUS**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of April 24, 2003 to August 24, 2003.

Please charge the statutory fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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